BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 97-415-T - ORDER NO. 2003-630

OCTOBER 22, 2003

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IN RE:	Request of Mark Ejere, 2900 Reidville Road,)	ORDER V
	#801, Spartanburg, SC 29505 (District 4), to)	REINSTATING
	Reinstate Class C Certificate of Public)	CERTIFICATE
	Convenience and Necessity No. 6553.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) by way of a Request filed by Mark Ejere (the Applicant or Mr. Ejere) to reinstate Class C Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 6553. Certificate No. 6553 was issued to Mr. Ejere by Commission Order No. 97-883, dated October 16, 1997, which granted Mr. Ejere authority to render motor passenger service.

Commission Order No. 2003-452, dated July 24, 2003, issued in Docket No. 2003-219-T, set a Rule to Show Cause Hearing for Certificate holders that had failed to file the required evidence of insurance and had failed to comply with the Motor Vehicle Carrier Law of South Carolina. The Certificate holders addressed in Order No. 2003-452 were given thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of the Order to respond to the allegations of their failure to comply with the requirements stated above. The record reflects that Mr. Ejere was a respondent to the Rule to Show Cause for failure to file the required evidence of insurance.

By return of the acknowledgement letter signed by Mr. Ejere and dated August 7, 2003, the record reveals that Mr. Ejere received a copy of Order No. 2003-452. Additionally by return of the acknowledgement letter, Mr. Ejere advised the Commission

that he had not renewed insurance because he was no longer in business to provide motor carrier services. Accordingly, the Commission issued Order No. 2003-515, dated August 22, 2003, which cancelled Mr. Ejere's Certificate No. 6553.

Subsequently, Mr. Ejere has come into compliance with the Commission's Rules and Regulations in respect to filing evidence of insurance and requests that the Certificate in question be reinstated.

The Commission is of the opinion, and so finds, that the above-mentioned Certificate should be reinstated, subject to compliance with all Commission rules and regulations.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 6553 held by Mark Ejere be, and hereby is, reinstated, subject to compliance with all Commission Rules and Regulations within sixty (60) days of the date of this Order.
- 2. That all operating rights authorized under the Certificate held are hereby reinstated, subject to compliance with all Commission rules and regulations within sixty (60) days of the date of this Order.
- 3. That failure of the Applicant either (1) to complete the certification process by complying with the Commission requirements of causing to be filed with the Commission proof of appropriate insurance and the payment of license fees and such other information required by law within sixty (60) days of the date of this Order or (2) to request and obtain from the Commission additional time to comply with the requirements of the Commission as stated above, shall result in the authorization approved in the Order being revoked.

4. That this Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Mignon L. Clyburn, Chairman

ATTEST:

Bruce F. Duke, Acting Executive Director

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